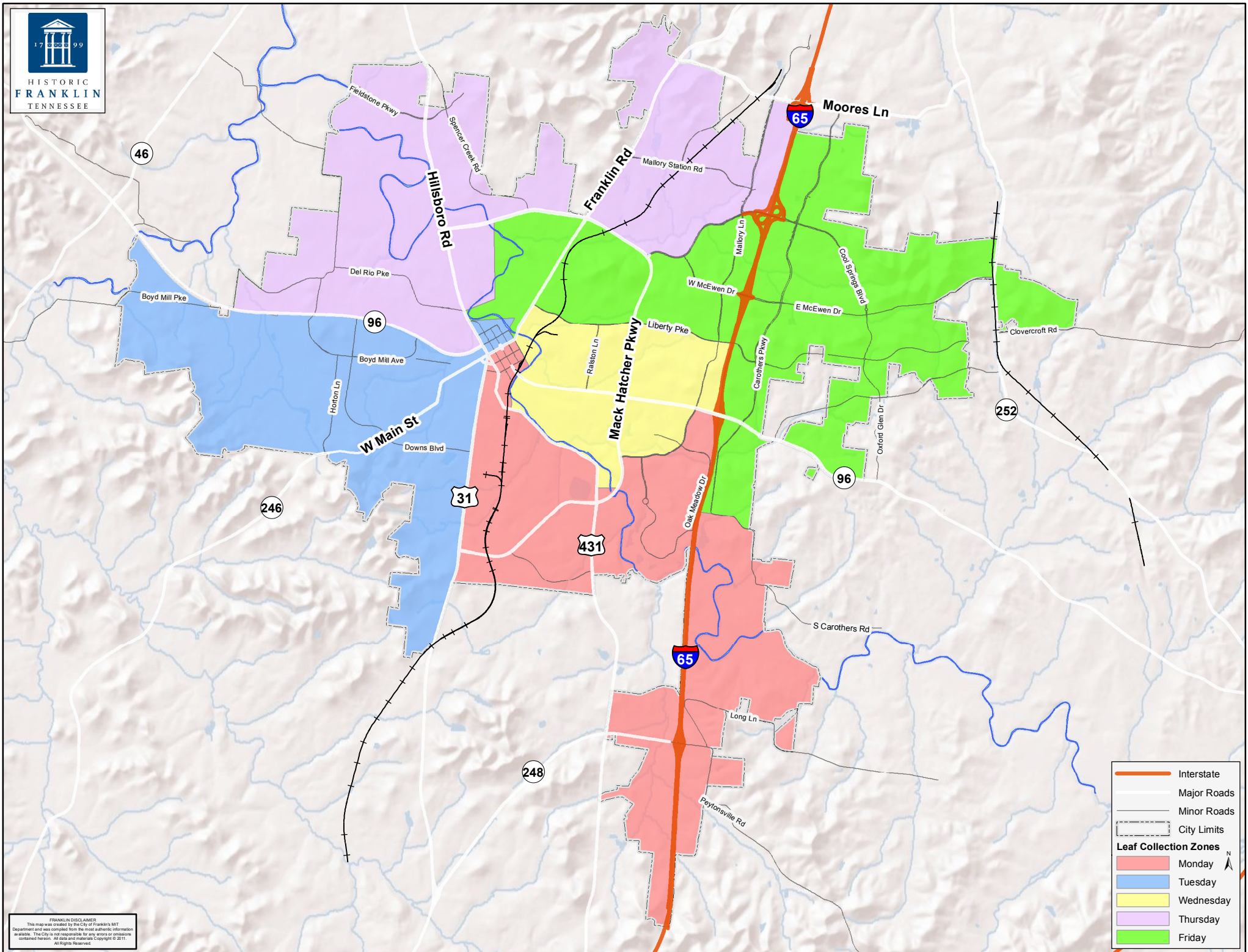




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## Leaf Collection Options

The City of Franklin offers two collection options to meet the needs of its residents. Biodegradable Paper Bag Collection and the Bulk Loose Leaf Collection program.

### **Option One:** *Biodegradable Paper Bag Collection*

Curbside collection of biodegradable paper bags containing leaves, grass clippings, small twigs and shrub trimmings are collected weekly throughout the year by the Solid Waste Department on your regularly scheduled Trash pickup day. Please place the biodegradable paper bags at least five (5) feet from your roll-out container.

***Please do not place stones, rocks, dirt or Household Waste inside the Biodegradable Paper Bag.***

On Holiday weeks, the Solid Waste Department, may or may not collect yard waste and brush. Please contact the Solid Waste Department concerning their Holiday work schedule at (615) 794-1516 between the hours of 7:00 am and 4:00 pm (Monday through Friday) or at [www.franklinton.gov](http://www.franklinton.gov)

### **Option Two:** *Bulk Loose Leaf Collection*

Each year beginning on October 1<sup>st</sup> until the following January 31<sup>st</sup> the Street Department provides residents with an alternative way to dispose of their leaves. Using specialized mechanical equipment, Street Department crews collect leaves from the curbside.

The City of Franklin is divided into five (5) Collection Zones, with each zone having a scheduled day of the week for collection. (Please see the map on the reverse side of this handout for your neighborhoods scheduled collection day).

Monday:	RED Zone
Tuesday:	BLUE Zone
Wednesday:	YELLOW Zone
Thursday:	PURPLE Zone
Friday:	GREEN Zone

### **Special Notes:**

On the day of collection leaves should be raked curbside by 6:30 am. Please rake leaf piles as close to the streets edge as possible.

**Please do not place leaves on or atop of storm drains.**

**Please do not park vehicles atop of leaf piles; this will result in a delay of collection.**

**Place only leaves in leaf piles.** Items such as branches, tree limbs, twigs, rocks, Halloween decorations (Corn Stalks and pumpkins) can

cause equipment breakdowns. Leaf piles that contain these items will be left behind. Please contact the Solid Waste department for questions concerning the proper disposal of these items.

The week of Thanksgiving the Street Department will be closed on Thursday and Friday. Residents living in Purple & Green Zones can expect their leaves to be collected the following week.

**Leaf volume and weather uncertainties make it impossible to guarantee leaf collection on a specific day, but every effort to safely do so will be made.**

Should you have questions concerning your collection day or where to place leaf piles for collection please contact the Street Department at (615) 791-3254 between the hours of 7:00 am to 4:00 pm (Monday through Friday) or at [www.franklinton.gov](http://www.franklinton.gov)